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**VIA CM/ECF**

November 14, 2018

Hon. David E. Peebles  
Chief U.S. Magistrate Judge  
Federal Building and U.S. Courthouse  
P.O. Box 7345  
Syracuse, New York 13261

*Re: Dr. Mukund Vengalattore v. Cornell University, et al.*  
3:18-CV-01124(GLS/DEP)

Dear Judge Peebles:

We represent defendant Cornell University in the above action. We are in receipt of Mr. Larkin's letter request for an extension for the federal defendants to answer or otherwise move against the Complaint to January 24, 2019 (the date we believe to be 45 days from the federal defendants' current deadline to answer or move). We consent to Mr. Larkin's request. We have contacted plaintiff's counsel, Caleb Kruckenberg, and asked if he would consent to a corresponding extension for the University to answer, move against, or otherwise respond to the Complaint, so that all of the parties are on the same schedule. Mr. Kruckenberg graciously agreed and informed us that he consents to the University's deadline to answer or move against the complaint being extended to the same day as the federal defendants. Accordingly, we respectfully request that if the federal defendants' request for an extension is granted, that the University be granted a corresponding extension up to and including January 24, 2019 (the date which we understand to be 45 days from the current deadline for the federal defendants to answer or move) to answer, move against, or otherwise respond to the Complaint.

We also respectfully join in Mr. Larkin's request that the deadlines for the service of initial disclosures (currently due to be served December 28, 2018) and the initial conference (currently scheduled for January 4, 2019) be extended for 45 days as well.

If the requested extensions are acceptable to the Court, we respectfully request that they be SO ORDERED.

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Respectfully,

/s Thomas S. D'Antonio (Bar No. 510890)

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cc: William F. Larkin, Esq. (VIA CM/ECF)  
Caleb Kruckenberg, Esq. (VIA CM/ECF)

SO ORDERED: \_\_\_\_\_  
David E. Peebles  
United States Magistrate Judge